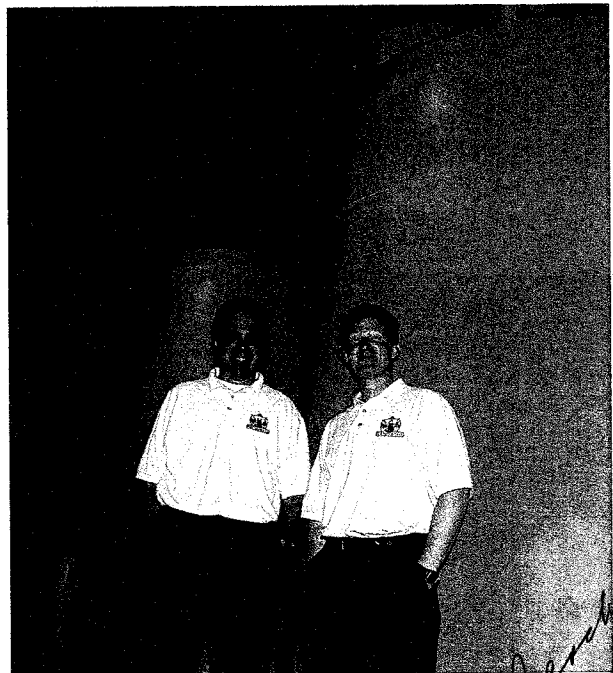
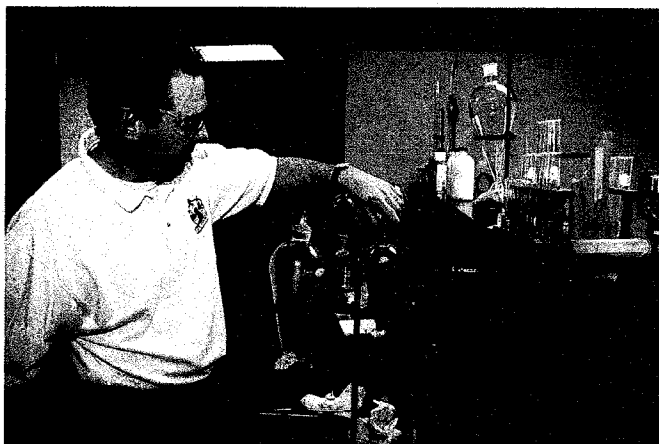
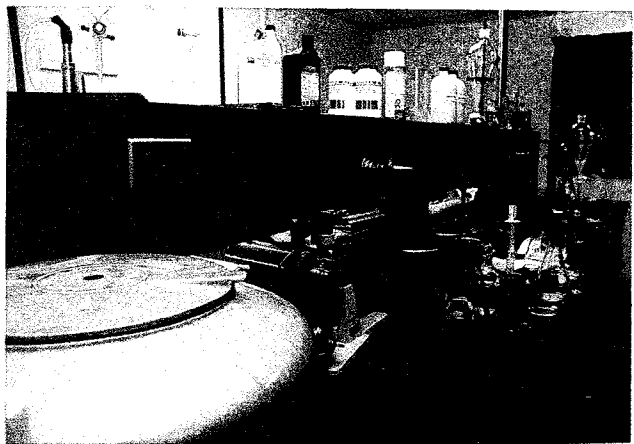


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Earl Fisher BioFuels LLP

Earl Fisher BioFuels LLP is a partnership between Brett Earl and Logan Fisher. Brett and Logan are both fourth generation Montana farmers. They are concerned about the agriculture economy, but hopeful for their small communities and state. Brett and Logan have education and experience in: production agriculture, chemical engineering, sales, marketing, finance and management and have set out to use these skills for the betterment of their community in and around Chester.

The mission at Earl Fisher BioFuels is to create economic growth and employment opportunities by building a biodiesel production facility. This will in turn create a self sustaining industry by creating a market for oilseed crops that can be grown locally, converted to fuel locally, and consumed locally. Their long term plan is to duplicate the process in other small communities throughout the state, making the Chester facility the benchmark and training facility for all future locations.

Their production facility will produce 100,000 gallons the first year, but depending on market demand could produce up to 275,000 gallons. The final production goal for this location will be 1,000,000 gallons per year. They have acquired and installed biodiesel production and storage equipment and are in the process of acquiring oilseed crushing equipment which will be installed in Summer/Fall of 2007. Earl and Fisher are committed to producing a high quality, ASTM-6751 certified B100 to be used as a blending stock. In order to ensure quality control of their product they have just finished installation of an in house lab where Brett Earl (chemical engineer) will formulate and test fuel as well as conduct research and development trials for new products. The passage of HB166 will be essential in helping to jumpstart the biodiesel industry in MT and specifically Earl Fisher BioFuels. Logan Fisher and Brett Earl strongly urge you to support HB166.

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